AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3116 OFFERED BY MS. LORETTA SANCHEZ OF CALIFORNIA

At the appropriate place in the bill, insert the following:

1	SEC ENHANCED CUSTOMER SERVICE STANDARDS
2	AND PROFESSIONALISM TRAINING.
3	(a) Plans Required.—The Secretary shall ensure
4	that a comprehensive plan for each of the Customs and
5	Border Protection and the Transportation Security Ad-
6	ministration, Immigration and Customs Enforcement is
7	developed and implemented to improve, based on publicly
8	communicated metrics, professionalism and customer serv-
9	ice.
10	(b) Plan Component.—The plan for each agency
11	shall include each of the following:
12	(1) An initial report on the metrics the agency
13	proposes to use to measure customer service.
14	(2) An initial report on the metrics the agency
15	will use to measure professionalism.

1	(3) The implementation of a system to improve
2	customer service by soliciting customer comments
3	combining in person, phone, and online solutions.
4	(4) A requirement that the agency submit to
5	Congress quarterly reports on the agency's perform-
6	ance against the customer service metrics referred to
7	in paragraph (1).
8	(5) The establishment of customer service best
9	practices based on such metrics.
10	(6) The establishment of professionalism best
11	practices based on the metrics referred to in para-
12	graph (2)
13	(c) Annual Reports to Congress.—At least once
14	each year, the Secretary shall submit to Congress a report
15	on each agency for which a plan is required under this
16	section. Each such report shall include—
17	(1) an assessment of the agency's customer
18	service performance based on the metrics referred to
19	in subsection (b)(1);
20	(2) detailed description of customer service im-
21	provements demanded by customers;
22	(3) customer service improvements demanded
23	by Department metrics, the costs associated with
24	those improvements.

1	(4) the security and efficiency benefits derived
2	from such improvements;
3	(5) an assessment of the agency's profes-
4	sionalism performance based on the metrics referred
5	to in subsection (b)(1);
6	(6) a description of any improvements in the
7	agency's professionalism;
8	(7) the costs associated with such improve-
9	ments; and
10	(8) the security and efficiency benefits derived
11	from such improvements.
12	(d) Oversight.—The Department's Office of Civil
13	Rights and Civil Liberties shall have oversight of—
14	(1) the customer service and professionalism ef-
15	forts at each agency for which a plan is required
16	under this section to ensure that comments are col-
17	lected, analyzed, and responded to in a timely man-
18	ner; and
19	(2) the development of monthly reports detail-
20	ing the number and types of comments submitted by
21	the public, which shall be made available to the pub-
22	lic through the Department's website.

